

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE **RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL**

In re Application of: Ocel et al.

For:

FLUID-ASSISTED ELECTROSURGICAL INSTRUMENT WITH SHAPEABLE ELECTRODE

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Response Transmittal

Response and Amendment

Petition For A Two-Month Extension of Time Supplemental IDS and PTO Form 1449

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